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My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated next to my name.

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Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Not Claimed

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Status : Patented, Pending, Abandoned
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POWER OF ATTORNEY: As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith (list name and registration number).

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POWER OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE

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Sir:

Denso Corporation is the Assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the patent applications identified in the attached Appendix A by virtue of Assignments recorded at the locations identified in the Appendix. Additionally, Denso Corporation is the Assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the following Patent Applications for which an Assignment has been filed, but the original Assignment, indicating the date and reel and frame number of recordation, has not yet been returned:

<u>U.S. Patent Application No.</u>	<u>Filed</u>	<u>Inventors</u>
09/925,604	August 10, 2001	Nobuhiro SHIOYA et al.
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09/922,689	August 7, 2001	Masahiko OSADA et al.
09/922,690	August 7, 2001	Toshiyo OGINO et al.

A copy of the Recordation Cover Sheet and executed Assignment as filed for these applications is attached hereto.

The undersigned is authorized to act on behalf of Denso Corporation; has reviewed the evidentiary documents in the chain of title; and certifies that to the best of the Assignee's knowledge and belief, title is in the Assignee.

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APPENDIX A

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